

THOUGHT BODY,
A SCARE CROWInvestigated and Found It to
Be Woman's Remains

A MURDER IS PROBABLE

Marks On Body Lead to Belief That
Woman Found in Canobie Lake, Was
Foully Dealt With—Had Only
A Few Cents.

Salem, N. H., July 3.—The body of a young woman, perhaps 30 years of age, was found in Canobie lake yesterday afternoon about four o'clock, by the Rev. Mr. Candler, who was out walking with his children.

It was at first thought by the children to be a scarecrow, but Mr. Candler drew it to the shore with his umbrella, and it proved to be the body of a young woman, bearing marks of injuries, which were subsequently decided by the physicians summoned, Dr. Soule and Dr. H. W. Newell of West Derry, the medical referees, to be indications of foul play.

The body was found in about two feet of water in the town of Windham about twenty feet beyond the Salem town line. The woman was well dressed and apparently a woman of refinement.

Over the left eye, which was much blackened, was a deep cut or bruise, indicating a possible fracture of the skull, the flesh being driven in as with a blunt instrument, and over the right eye was a cut two or three inches long, and there were dots of blood in the hair.

In a bag, which was attached to the woman's wrist, was found a collection of toilet articles such as a woman in good circumstances might use, and two pocketbooks, but only twenty-seven cents in money. In the bag was also a small clock which had stopped at ten o'clock this morning or ten the previous night is uncertain.

The body indicated that the woman was about 5 feet 7 inches high and would weigh between 130 and 140 pounds. On the back of one hand was the scar of an old burn or other injury.

In the opinion of the physicians, death must have occurred before the body was put into the water. The woman's hat was found on the shore some 50 feet from where the body was found, and there were also tracks which fitted the shoes that the woman wore at about that distance.

From a railroad ticket found upon the body it would seem that the woman was on the way to West Windham, and got off at Canobie lake, either by appointment or by accident.

The body was placed in the hands of Undertaker Martin of Derry. In the woman's clothes was found a baggage check, No. 619,912. Among her effects was a physician's prescription for an eye wash, put up by Storrs Brothers of Winthrop, Mass. Also a pair of fine gold-bowed spectacles.

CONNECTICUT RIVER
CLAIMS TWO MENTwo Teachers in Mount Hermon School
Were Out Canoeing When Boat
Was Upset Yesterday
Afternoon.

East Northfield, Mass., July 3.—Philip K. Green, instructor of English and mathematics, and Professor David A. Dyer, assistant in the agricultural department at the Mount Hermon school for boys, were drowned yesterday afternoon while canoeing in the Connecticut river, by the upsetting of the craft.

MISSING BODY FOUND.

Identified By Tatoo Marks as That of
Jerry O'Meara.

White River Junction, July 3.—The body of Jerry O'Meara, aged 28, was found here last night at 7 p. m. He was an employee of the Connecticut Construction company and was drowned running a cable across the Connecticut river at Wilder, Vt.

The body floated into the dam and was discovered by log drivers and identified by tattoo marks on the left arm. After examination by the proper authorities, the body was taken to Wilder at 8:30. It had been in the water a month, being drowned June 3, and was horribly bloated and disfigured, the eyes and hair gone. O'Meara was drowned at the same time as Stephen Hall, who was found June 19 at Windsor, 16 days after the accident.

BUILDING COLLAPSED.

Ten People Were Hurt in Cincinnati
By It.

Cincinnati, July 3.—Ten were hurt in the collapsing of a four story building on Main street yesterday afternoon. Forty others escaped injury. The accident was caused by the weakening of foundations by an excavation for a new building. The outer wall of the building fell over into the excavation where forty laborers were eating their midday dinner. In the wrecked building were a dozen other men, some of whom were shot out through the windows and wreckage into the streets. The falling timbers formed arches which protected the men, none of whom was dangerously hurt.

HE MAILED LETTERS
FOR A CONVICTBenjamin Woolhouse Arrested at Windsor
and Held For Trial Under
Bonds of \$500, After Arraign-
ment Yesterday.

Windsor, July 3.—Benjamin Woolhouse, a stone cutter, who has been working on the prison repair job for some time, was arrested and brought before Justice F. S. Hale yesterday on the charge of attempting to aid a prisoner to escape from state prison.

It appears that Woolhouse took two letters to mail for Wilbur Brown, a convict blacksmith, who escaped from prison some weeks ago and was recaptured at Morrisville, in which the prisoner wrote friends that he would escape or poison himself. Woolhouse gave the letters to Clerk Lamson of the prison to mail, mistaking him for a postman in his uniform. The clerk immediately took the letters to Superintendent W. S. Lovell who had a warrant sworn out after learning their contents. Woolhouse was bound up in the sum of \$500 for his appearance in county court and in default of bail was taken to the county jail at Woodstock by Deputy Sheriff J. H. Kinney.

PROCESS SERVERS
WERE BALKED TO-DAYIn Their Game of Hide-and-Seek With
John D. Rockefeller, Oil King and
Champion Long Distance
Jumper.

Pittsfield, Mass., July 3.—U. S. Deputy Marshals Frink and Ruhl visited E. Parmer Prentice's home this morning for the purpose of serving subpoenas on John D. Rockefeller. They were met at the door by Prentice who, in reply to their questions regarding Rockefeller's presence, replied, "I have nothing to say." After vain attempts to secure information the marshals left at 11:20 for North Adams.

"I am satisfied Mr. Rockefeller is not here," said Ruhl as they boarded the train.

DEATH IN MARSHFIELD.

Eliza Wheeler Mearns, Who Was a Native
of Woodbury.

Marshfield, July 3.—Eliza Wheeler Mearns, wife of Gilbert L. Dwinell, passed away peacefully Sunday morning about 4 o'clock, after months of severe illness of cancer.

Mrs. Dwinell was born in Woodbury, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wheeler, November 29, 1854. In 1884 she was married to Fred Mearns of this town, who lived only a short time. In 1887 Mrs. Mearns married Gilbert L. Dwinell, also of this town. She leaves besides her husband to mourn her loss, five children, Clyde Mearns, Earle, James, Lee and Mattie Dwinell, two sisters, Mrs. Mary George of East Calais, Mrs. Ruth Austin of Barre City, and three brothers, Carl Wheeler of Texas, Alton of Hardwick and Verne of Calais.

The funeral was held yesterday afternoon at one o'clock at the house, the Rev. F. E. Currier, pastor of the M. E. church officiating. The Pythian Sisters, of which Mrs. Dwinell was a respected member, and past chief, attended the funeral in a body and conducted their service of burial. The bearers were Abijah Bemis, James Bouliard, J. Berton Pike and E. A. Rosebrook. Burial was in the Eaton cemetery.

Flowers were 24 white carnations, 24 pink and white roses from Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Austin of Barre, white and pink carnations from Mr. and Mrs. H. D. McCall, white peonies from Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vincent, white carnations from Mrs. Cora Webster, pillow of panicles and sunflowers from Verne Wheeler and family, wreath of pansies and amaranth, from Arthur George, wreath of myrtle, filled with flowers of the order, from the Pythian Sisters.

LEANDERS WERE STRONG.

Easily Defeated London Rowing Club
On Henley Course Today.

London, July 3.—The Leander crew easily defeated the London Rowing club today in the first heat of the great challenge cup contest on the Henley course. A big surprise was the feat of Blackstaff, holder of the diamond sculls, by Captain Darrell of the First Life Guards, by half a length. The Leanders are expected to win back the trophy captured last year by the Belgian crew.

CONDEMNED A BUILDING.

St. Albans Board of Health Thinks A
Tomasi Building Dangerous.

St. Albans, July 3.—The three-story building in this city has been condemned by the local board of health as a public nuisance. The drainage is said to be in a dangerous condition, the interior plumbing insufficient and in bad condition and the ash and rubbish piles in the back yard a menace to health. The owner, A. Tomasi of Barre, after repeated warnings has neglected to remedy the trouble.

SEC. TAFT ON VACATION.

In Enroute For Canada For a Month's
Rest.

Washington, D. C., July 2.—Secretary Taft left Washington today for a month's holiday, which he will spend with his family at Murray Bay, Canada. First he will pass a few hours with his brother in New York, then go to Millbury, Mass., to make a brief visit with his mother. He will leave Millbury early tomorrow morning for Canada.

Barre Golf Club's Team.

The return match between the St. Johnsbury and Barre golf teams will be played on the Barre course Thursday morning, the game to be started at eight o'clock. The following players are requested to be ready to play: J. W. Davis, Miles, Dalarno, Hutchinson, Burgess, Daniels and Matthews reserves.

FIVE SENT
DOWN TO JAILFrom the Barre City Court
This Forenoon

ALL FOR INTOXICATION

Sentences Vary From 30 Days to Three
Months—One Man of Seven Pleads
Not Guilty to Charge of Breach
of the Peace.

Five cases of intoxication and two for breach of the peace took up the attention of court yesterday afternoon and this morning. Joseph Ashton was arraigned last evening on the charge of breach of the peace and he pleaded not guilty. The case was continued for a hearing at some future date which his attorney, S. Hollister Jackson, and the grand juror have not yet decided upon. This case was the other half of the Levi Moore case, which was heard before A. A. Sargent yesterday afternoon, in which Moore was found guilty and paid a fine of \$5 with costs. Ashton was arrested on a warrant by Officer Hamel. It is claimed that Moore and Ashton were fighting Monday evening.

This morning George Robb, arrested last evening by Officer Hamel, made his sixth appearance in the city court for intoxication in the past year and a few months. Robb entered a plea of not guilty, but after Deputy Sheriff Camp and Officer Carle had been put on the stand and testified that they both had seen Robb staggering around the street yesterday afternoon and that they told him to go home, the court decided he was guilty of a second offense. In view of the fact that Robb had just got out of jail on Monday from serving a thirty days' sentence and because of his previous arrests the court gave him the limit the law allows for a sentence, which was thirty days in jail, and to stand convicted until the fine of \$15 and costs is paid. This means that he will be in jail about three months. Robb thought he wanted to appeal his case to county court, but decided not to when told he would have to furnish \$100 bail. Robb insisted strongly that he was not drunk and when asked to disclose he said he only had a small drink he got from a man who had also just got out of jail.

John Walter Burke of Montpelier, arrested by Officer Carle last evening, pleaded guilty this morning to a second offense of intoxication and was sentenced to the county jail for 30 days. Burke said he thought he visited all the saloons in the city yesterday, but when questioned closer he said he was only in Alexander's and Mackie's and the Northern Hotel bars, where he said he had no trouble in getting all the liquor he wanted.

Last evening William Davis, arrested by Chief Faulkner, pleaded guilty to a first offense and went to jail for 20 days. James Carey, also arrested by Chief Faulkner, pleaded guilty to a second offense and was sentenced to jail for 30 days. George Vail, who said he was not drunk, was arrested by Constable Nicholas for intoxication and, pleading guilty, will work for Sheriff Tracy for the next 30 days.

Mrs. and Mrs. Claude Martin went to Claremont, N. H., today for a visit with relatives.

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Mrs. A. Guthrie of Akron, Ohio, is visiting her father, A. Murray of Murray street. Mrs. Guthrie brought a three months' old baby with her from Akron, which Mrs. Rugg of Ayers street is to take tonight with her to Scotland. The little one is without a mother and she is on her way to her grandparents in Scotland.

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COURT ADJOURNED
CLAIMS PRESIDENTVermont Court of Claims Will Meet
Again August 6 to Take Action
on Several Claims Presented
Yesterday.

Because one member of the court, E. B. Flinn, was not present the court of claims which met at Montpelier yesterday adjourned in the afternoon until Tuesday, August 6. The claims presented were as follows: Selectmen of Bristol, \$50; funeral and burial expenses of Edson Tart, an indigent person; Philo F. Parker of Chittenden, Mass., state pay during the Civil War, \$180.37; E. Heath of Warren, \$84.00; bounties on noxious animals in 1903; L. W. English of Woodstock, damage done by deer, \$25; E. H. Deavitt, administrator of estate of C. E. Woodward, \$66.82, for fees while Judge Woodward was in Montpelier city court; D. W. Blake of South Royalton, state pay during the Civil War, \$9.30, for transcript of testimony taken in Bennington county court.

Payment on all these claims had been refused by the state auditor.

In the claim of Vincenne Giovanni of White Plains, N. Y., for payment for time he served in state prison, arguments for payment of this claim were made by Willard Farrington of St. Albans, and against payment by State Auditor Graham. Giovanni was convicted of manslaughter in Franklin county court and sentenced to not less than seven nor more than ten years in state prison. After he had served about a year of his time the supreme court set aside the verdict and sentence and Giovanni was released on his own recognizance. He now lives in White Plains, N. Y.

TALK OF THE TOWN.

All the jewelry stores will close to-night at six o'clock.

E. E. Newcomb went to Bellevue Falls today for a few days' visit.

D. S. Laramie went to Rouses Point, N. Y., today on a business trip.

Alex. Stevens went to Rutland today to visit friends over the Fourth.

E. R. Davis went to Waits River today to attend his mother's funeral.

Fred Breyer went to Burlington today for a few days' visit with friends.

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ADMIT NEED
OF STATIONCentral Vermont R. R. Does
at To-days Hearing

BUT PLEADS POVERTY

And Inability to Secure the Land—Mont-
pelier & Wells River Think Its Sta-
tion Is Adequate—Hearing Be-
fore Commissioners.

A meeting of the state railroad commissioners was held at the city court room when representatives of the Central Vermont and Montpelier & Wells River railroads appeared to answer a petition of freeholders of the city for a new passenger station on the Central Vermont road or a union station for both the Central Vermont and the Montpelier & Wells River roads.

Attorney H. C. Shurtleff of Montpelier, for the Wells River road, entered a denial of the entire statement of the allegations of the petition as far as it concerned the M. & W., and that that road did not wish to have a union station. He said their station is adequate for the needs and they didn't care to unite with a competing road.

The Central was represented by C. E. Soule, superintendent; W. E. Morrison, engineer and attorney C. W. Witters of St. Albans.

Mr. Witters for the C. V. admitted that a part of the statement as set forth in the petition were true and said that it was the intention to have better facilities for the handling of both freight and passengers sometime but said that it was impossible to buy land now at a reasonable price. He admitted that there were only four smaller stations than the one in this city between here and White River Junction.

Chairman Redmond stated that as the railroad admitted the need of a station here, it would not be necessary for the petition to prove this.

Attorney Frank Martin and E. L. Scott appeared for the petitioners and called as witnesses relative to the size and condition of the station James Mackay, S. D. Allen and Dr. M. D. Lamb.

The testimony of these gentlemen tended to show that the station was not adequate to accommodate the passengers, that the toilets were not in a sanitary condition and that the busyness of the surrounding land caused surface water to stand in the immediate vicinity of the station for long periods.

The valuation of the Bolster and the Premier property, so-called, which adjoins that of the railroad was discussed at length, with a view to its purchase by the railroad for the purpose of building a new station. A committee was appointed to estimate the value of this property on which the appraisal for taxation is \$8,600, after which the commission adjourned until 2 o'clock to hear other reports of valuation of the land.

At the opening this afternoon Clark Holden was called to the stand and testified to the fact that the present station had been in use for 27 years and that it was built by popular subscription at a cost of \$20,000. Mr. Holden said that the population of Barre was about 2,000, beside an estimated population of 16,000 at present.

WASHINGTON MAN
WAS SENTENCEDE. M. Seaver, Formerly Town Clerk and
Treasurer, Pleaded Guilty to Em-
bezzlement of \$325.

Chelsea, July 3.—Orange county court closed its session this morning, after a term of four weeks. The case of state vs. E. M. Seaver, until recently town clerk and treasurer of Washington, was disposed of, when the respondent went into court and pleaded guilty to the charge of embezzlement of \$325 from the town's funds. He was sentenced to not less than three and not more than four years in the state's prison. State's Attorney Wilson prosecuted and R. M. Harvey.

The court granted eleven divorces this term.

TO TRY FOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

Clan Gordon Quaiting Club Goes to Hart-
ford, Conn.

The Clan Gordon Quaiting club left this noon for Hartford, Conn., where they will pitch a matched game with the Hartford team for the championship cup of New England. Hartford now holds the cup, which was presented by the Clan's miag club of Boston.

The Clan Gordon team which will play for the cup is made up of the following players: Capt. C. Birnie, W. Craig, C. Keith, James Birnie, A. Rennie, P. Birnie, W. Main, A. Kellis; reserves, J. W. Gould and George Slora; markers, R. Gould and J. Main.

Special Train to the Races.

There will be a special train run from Granterville to the Trotting park tomorrow, July 3. The train will leave East Barre at 12:15, Boutwell's 12:30 p. m. Arrive at the park at 1 o'clock. The return train will leave the park after the races.

Every man, woman and child connected with the Hedding M. E. church is invited to attend the annual picnic Friday, July 5, at Caledonia park. Special train leaves at nine a. m. from Wells River depot. Round trip 15 cents for adults, and ten cents for children over six years old.

SCENE OF SORROW
AT DOUBLE FUNERALOf the Two Boy Victims of Drowning
Accident—Touching Words By the
Rev. E. A. Poole Yesterday
Afternoon.

The double funeral of Russell V. McDonald and Manson Buchanan—the pathetic closing of the tragic drowning accident of last week—was held at the Congregational church yesterday afternoon at two o'clock, the Rev. E. A. Poole and the Rev. W. C. McIntyre officiating. At two o'clock the church was filled with the friends and relatives of the deceased, and as the organ breathed forth its mournful strains, the casket containing the body of Russell McDonald, laden with flowers, and preceded by the bearers, Newell Barber, Harry Jackson, James Darling and Arthur McNeil, was brought in and placed in front of the pulpit, which was nearly hidden from view by countless red and white roses and lilies of the valley. The casket was followed by the family and relatives of the deceased. Then, in like manner the casket containing the body of Manson Buchanan, decked with flowers, was brought in and placed beside the other. The bearers were James Carwell, Alex. McCaskill, Robert Mackie and Elliot Stoughton.

The service began with the hymn "Lead Kindly Light" by a quartette composed of Mrs. Bailey and Mrs. Gale, and the Messrs. Robertson and Griffiths. Then the reading of the twenty-third psalm by the Rev. W. C. McIntyre, which was followed by the singing of the hymn "The Golden Key." At its close, Mr. Poole spoke briefly of the address of the occasion and in memory of the two boys: "On occasions like this one wishes that words were adequate to express thought, and that sympathy could afford the help it would. It was better that our words be few and simple, for we feel what we cannot say. We are members one of another, and we realize it to-day when we are ashamed of our own troubles and feel for those who are overwhelmed. A word in memory of these little men who lived, played and died together. They were fine little fellows; the smiling touch of sin had not laid hands on them. They have taken their place in the kingdom of heaven; they have gone to a beautiful land, where they may bathe in streams free from danger. Love will train them, bring their powers to a grand fruition and prepare for friends a reunion in the sweet bye-and-bye. In the future when time has lessened the sharpness but not the depth of our grief, we shall realize that God is just." Mr. Poole closed his remarks with a prayer, after which the closing hymn, "We Are Little Friends of Jesus," was sung.

The caskets were then opened and a tertial procession of friends and relatives passed by them to view the remains. After this most touching scene of all, the caskets were taken out by the bearers, followed by the bereaved family as they came in, both processions forming at the park and starting at the same time. The body of Manson Buchanan was taken to Elmwood cemetery for interment, with the Rev. W. C. McIntyre as the officiating clergyman, and the body of Russell McDonald to Hope cemetery with the Rev. E. A. Poole.

STAFF IS NAMED.

For Grand Commander J. Henry Jack-
son, Knights Templar.

The staff of J. Henry Jackson, grand commander of the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar of Vermont, is to-day announced as follows: Right eminent past grand commanders: George O. Tyler, Burlington; Alfred A. Hall, St. Albans; Thad M. Casman, Middlebury; George W. Wing, Montpelier; Delos M. Bacon, St. Johnsbury Center; William F. Lewis, Rutland; Klitridge Haskins, Brattleboro; Marsh O. Perkins, Windsor; Silas W. Cummings, St. Albans; Robert J. Wright, Newport; Jesse E. Thompson, Rutland; Daniel N. Dieboldson, Burlington; Daniel Payson, Windsor; Silas H. Danforth, St. Albans; William H. Kingsley, Middlebury; Charles A. Calderwood, St. Johnsbury; Elihu R. Taft, Burlington.

The aids are as follows: Past eminent commanders: Daniel C. Noble, Mount Calvary, No. 1; Chilo L. Soule, Burlington, No. 2; Edgar J. Fish, Vermont, No. 3; Perley F. Hazen, Palestine, No. 4; Thomas P. Bragg, Killington, No. 5; William H. Vinton, Bellows Falls, No. 6; Edward L. Bates, Taft, No. 7; Charles H. Heaton, Mount Zion, No. 8; Frank D. Flint, Malta, No. 9; Joseph W. Jackson, St. Albans, No. 10; George F. Leland, Holy Cross, No. 11.

RANKS AT GODDARD.

First Three Positions Were Taken By
Barre Young People.